

DIXON MAN'S MOTHER AND SISTER KILLED IN C. R. I. & P. WRECK

G. L. ROBINSON RECEIVES WORD
OF TRAGIC FATE OF HIS
DEAR ONES.

TRAIN DASHED THROUGH BRIDGE

Several Cars, Laden With Sleeping
Passengers, Submerged in
Deep Water.

Mrs. Thomas E. Robinson of Sterling, step-mother of G. L. Robinson of this city, and her daughter, Miss Opal, were killed in the wreck of a Rock Island passenger train at Greene, Iowa, early Friday morning, notice of which was published in the Telegraph.

The wreck was caused by storms and floods which swept through the middle west Thursday night. The fast passenger dashed through a bridge which had been partially washed out by the floods, and several cars laden with sleeping passengers went into the swollen stream.

Mrs. Robinson and daughter left Sterling a few days ago to visit at the home of her mother in St. Charles, Iowa.

Greene, Ia., June 5.—Rescue work at the Packard wreck has resulted in the finding of nine bodies, eight of which have been identified. Four are known to be missing.

The known missing are: Mrs. Frances Christianson, Wesley, Iowa; Harry Farrell, Louisville, Ky.; Pearl Robinson, fourteen, Sterling, Ill., and Mrs. Williams, address unknown.

Three bodies were found downstream from where the wreck occurred Friday morning.

Searchers are devoting all of their time in dragging the creek and searching along the banks, believing that no more bodies will be found in the partially submerged coach. Many injured persons are being given treatment in local hospitals.

CAPT. U.S. MARINES KILLED BY REBELS

SHOT THROUGH HEAD IN TWO-
HOUR BATTLE IN SAN DOMINGO, JUNE 1.

(Associated Press)
Puerto Plata, San Domingo, June 5.—American marines occupied fort and town at Monte Christie and the fort at Puerto Plata June 1. They met a two-hour resistance at Puerto Plata during which Capt. Hirschinger, commanding the detachment from the battleship Rhode Island was shot in the head. He died later. The Dominican rebels are now entrenched outside Monte Christie.

GOVERNOR'S OPERATION
(Associated Press)
Milwaukee, June 5.—Gov. Phillips of Wisconsin, who was elected delegate-at-large at the Republican national convention, successfully underwent an operation for appendicitis this morning.

RESIGNED POSITION
Thomas Flynn has resigned his position with the Rowland Bros. and has accepted a position with the Standard Oil Company of Peoria. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyer motored to Amboy yesterday.

IS REDECORATING
Fred Platten of the Chocolate Shop, is having the interior of his place of business entirely redecorated and remodeled. These improvements will add greatly to the beauty of this already popular confectionery.

WITH HARDWARE CO
John Gaffney, ex-police sergeant has accepted a position with the Ferguson Hardware Company.

THE WEATHER

Monday, June 5, 1916

Showers tonight
and probably on
Tuesday, warmer

GEORGE W. PERKINS
Moose Leader Who May
Not Be Able to Deliver.



Photo by American Press Association.

SECOND LEE YOUTH DEAD OF INJURIES

RAYMOND KITTLESON, HURT
WHEN YOUNG WRIGHT WAS
KILLED, DIED FRIDAY.

FUNERAL HELD AT LEE TODAY

Rochelle, June 5.—Raymond Kittleson, the 17 year old Lee boy who was seriously injured in an automobile accident May 28, died at the Lincoln hospital, this city, Friday evening. La Ville Wright, another occupant of the car, sustained a fractured skull and lived but an hour. Lottie Kittleson, sister of Raymond, is still suffering from the shock and confined to her bed, but no serious consequences are apprehended in her case. The Misses Rissetter, who were in the accident, were less severely shocked, but still feel its effects. The accident happened one and one-half miles south of Lee when the driver of the car looked back as he approached a culvert and toppled over. The injured are being cared for at the hospital. The funeral of Raymond Kittleson will be held today.

COLORED BALL TEAM MAY PLAY IN DIXON

PLANS UNDER WAY TO BRING ST.
LOUIS CUBS HERE ABOUT
21ST OF JUNE.

Dixon baseball enthusiasts will have the opportunity of seeing one of the fastest colored baseball teams in the country in action on or about the 21st of June, if the plans for bringing the team here come to a satisfactory termination. The team, which is the St. Louis Cubs, were billed to play a game here last season, but because of inclement weather the engagement had to be cancelled. The colored athletes will appear in Sterling for a 2-day stand and then will be brought to Dixon for at least one day and possibly two.

LEE COUNTY MAN HAS CAR IN BIG CONTESTS

OSTEWIG, LEE GARAGE MAN,
BUILT AUTO—FINISHED 8TH
MEMORIAL DAY.

Rochelle, June 5.—Local racing fans are watching the career of Ostewig, the Lee Lee III, garage man, who designed and built a racing rig which he races under his name. The Ostewig entry driven by Halbe finished in eighth place in Indianapolis on Memorial day after running seventh to the 250 mile mark. The initial race brought the entry \$1,000, the car making the 300 miles in 4:03:10.51, an average of 74.02 miles an hour. The car entered by S. Ostewig and driven by L. Ostewig will compete for a slice of the \$30,000 prize money offered at Speedway Park June 10.

N.D.H.S. GRADUATES HEAR BACCALAUREATE

REV. A. J. HOLLAND PREACHED
TO CLASS OF 1916 SUNDAY
EVENING.

SUBJECT WAS 'GODS COMRADES'

Address Class as An Elder Brother—
Special Music Marked
Service.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of the North Dixon high school was delivered by Rev. A. J. Holland, pastor of the Presbyterian church, at that church Sunday evening, an audience which filled the edifice participating in the service.

Rev. Holland's subject was "God's Comrades." He addressed himself to the young people as an elder brother. Rev. Holland's sermon contained allusions to figures in history, was aptly applied and was rich in literary references.

The Service of Light.

Mr. Holland said:
"The Lord said, 'I am the Light. Walk ye therefore in the Light. Work and walk in the light. The night is given us that we may through the day intensify and concentrate on our work. And justice—God loves justice. When Richelieu, the priest-statesman of France, lay dying, a friend said to him, 'How did you accomplish so much for France?' And Richelieu said, 'Some said it was through cunning, that I was a fox, and others said it was because I was a liar—what I have accomplished was through justice.'"

Tribute to Parents.

Rev. Holland paid a beautiful tribute to the fathers and mothers of the class. He said a mariner at sea sometimes has to put into harbor to right his compass and correct his course; and so, he said, when you are away from home and your course does not seem just clear, come home and set your compass right, and to the church that is nearest. Among other things he admonished the young people to be merciful, for mercy is a great and beautiful thing; it is through God's mercy that we are here.

Special Music.

Special musical numbers and tasty decorations, in which palms and flowers were used profusely, added to the completeness of the service. Vocal numbers were Sullivan's "The Lost Chord," sung by Willard Beach, and "Sweet Sabbath Eve," quartet, by the Misses Vail and Messrs. Anderson and Raymond. Prof. Stoddard presided at the organ in his usual faultless manner.

PREDICTED HIS OWN DEATH FORTNIGHT AGO

FREEPORT MAN TOLD WIFE HE
WAS GOING TO DIE—DEAD
OF APPOPLEX.

Freeport, June 3.—Two weeks ago while in the best of health Grover Cleveland Smart, known to scores of friends as "Cleve" Smart, had a premonition that he was about to die. The feeling he said could not be explained and came to him suddenly as he was about to leave his home in the Organ Factory addition for downtown. So impressed was he with this strange foreboding that he went to his wife and told her about it, discussing at the same time what she and their five year old boy should do in case the father should die.

Two days ago Mr. Smart was taken suddenly sick and at 5:30 last evening he passed away at his home on Brewster avenue from an attack of apoplexy.

HOSPITAL BOARD MEETING

The regular meeting of the board of directors of the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital will be held at the hospital at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning.

CHANGE RESIDENCE

The Henry Herbon family is moving residence at 305 Central place, formerly occupied by the E. F. Cahill family.

C. C. BAND REHEARSAL

The Chamber of Commerce band will meet at the Armory at 8 o'clock this evening for rehearsal in preparation for the first open air concert Friday evening.

FORD CO. USES DIXON PLOWS

New Gasoline Tractor To Use Grand
Detour Implements.

W. B. Brinton, president of the Grand Detour Plow company, went to Detroit today to confer with Henry Ford, the auto manufacturer, concerning tractors and gang plows. The Ford company has recently completed a new farm tractor and several Grand Detour plows have been ordered with which to test it out.

HUGHES' MOVEMENT BECOMES BIG BOOM

ARRIVING DELEGATES BRING RE-
PORTS OF SENTIMENT FOR
JULIST.

T. R. STRENGTH NOT OVER 200

(Associated Press)

Chicago, June 5.—Movements for the nomination of Justice Hughes today took on an aspect of a genuine boom. Arriving delegations brought evidence of a sentiment in favor of the jurist and men who have been identified with the "old guard" declared that many delegates who had been instructed for others were prepared to turn their votes to Hughes after the first ballot.

No Controlling Leader.

Lack of controlling leadership by the men who have composed the "old guard" is emphasized on every hand. "They do not favor the Justice for any personal reason but because delegates are bringing first hand reports of sentiment from the states where it is believed he can be a harmonizer and bring in the progressive strength."

Roosevelt Not Strong

Republican leaders who have canvassed the situation declared that Roosevelt's ultimate strength will not exceed 200, and probably little more than 150.

"Hughes Is In The Picture"

Hitchcock said that Hughes' nomination is "inevitable."

PROGS. WILL WAIT.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, June 5.—The progressive national committee decided to withhold nominating a candidate in the progressive convention until Saturday, awaiting the action of the republican convention.

Name "Steering Committee"

The progressive national committee appointed a "steering committee" composed of Perkins, Gov. Johnson and Horace Wilkinson of New York, to have discretion to treat with the republicans regarding possible joint action on a nominee.

Must Come to Them.

Outlining the position of the progressives, William Allen White of Kansas, a committeeman said, "If the republicans can not agree on Roosevelt we expect them to come to us. We will tell them our second choice." Progressive delegates have been warned not to leave Chicago.

To Maintain Party.

Victor Murdock, chairman of the progressive convention, said the progressive party organization should be maintained, "no matter what the result of the coming conventions."

Chicago, Ill., June 5.—Roosevelt or Hughes.

That's the way the Republican situation still shapes up—with the Old Guard the deciding factor. As the state delegations pour into town the activities center mainly on the Hughes candidacy. Some of them were bullish and some bearish for the Hughes stock, but the leaders detected little change in underlying conditions.

The real conferences that may serve to clarify the situation have started, but the leaders assert that with 650 uninstructed and unpledged delegates in the convention they may be "in the dark" until the balloting has started.

Ball Rolling for Hughes.

The Hughes men started the ball rolling and prepared to organize their forces and to get a real line on the strength the justice may expect as first choice and as second. The guard and the managers of the "sons" continued their informal conferences with the Roosevelt forces with a view of getting their support in heading off Hughes.

Moose Wants to Know.

Here are the important developments of the day:
First—Colonel Roosevelt notified his followers over the telephone that he, for one would not support Hughes unless Hughes would declare himself definitely. The colonel said he had

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ROAD MEETING HERE CONVENES TOMORROW

FIRST OF THREE MEETINGS IN
STATE WILL BE HELD HERE
FOR THREE DAYS.

DIRECTION STATE ASSOCIATION

Road Officials From Northern Part
Of State Will Attend This
Meet.

Dixon will be the center of interest for road men of northern Illinois tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday, for the first of three meetings to be held in the state this year under the direction of the Illinois State Association of Highway Commissioners and Town Clerks will convene at 2 o'clock tomorrow for a three-day session. County superintendents, highway commissioners and other officials interested in good roads in the entire northern part of the state have been notified of this meeting and many no doubt will attend.

Mayor Schmidt To Speak.

The first session of the institute, to partake of a "short course" for highway commissioners, will open at 2 p. m. Tuesday with registration of visitors. At 3 o'clock Mayor Henry Schmidt will deliver the address of welcome. Following the response, Hon. W. P. Graham of Rochelle will speak on the "Maintenance of Gravel and Macadam Roads." This will be followed by general discussion.

At 8 o'clock in the evening T. W. Humphrey will give an illustrated talk on "Detail Steps in Earth Road Construction." Joe Long, editor of Roadmaker, Moline, will also speak at this session.

Experts to Be Heard.

At the Wednesday morning session following a machinery demonstration, Geo. A. Quinlan, superintendent of highways for Cook county will speak on "Road Officials, Their Duties and Opportunities," and Alex. Anderson, Ogle county's highway superintendent, will speak on "The One Commissioner Plan."

At night "Organization" will be discussed by W. Rufus Kendall, president of the Illinois State Association of Highway Commissioners and Town Clerks. This will be followed by an address on "Road Money and Legislation," by J. Howard Jayne of Monmouth.

A demonstration of road leveling and road dragging machines will take place at 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

Mr. Neighbour On Program.

Mr. Neighbour, Lee county road superintendent, will discuss "Relation of County Superintendents of Highways to Township Road Commissioners," at 2:30 Thursday afternoon. Preceding his address will be an address by Prof. N. B. Garver of the University of Illinois, on "Something in Bridge Engineering and Construction."

HOME TALENT THIEVES PULL ACTS SATURDAY

THREE BUSINESS HOUSES ROB-
BED—BOOBY WAS NOT
VERY GREAT.

"Home talent" is believed to have engineered three robberies Saturday night, the M. E. Finkler, the Dixon Wholesale Tobacco Co. and Kramer, 5 & 10 cent store having been burglarized. In each case entrance was effected by breaking a rear window, and in no case was the booty of the thieves large. \$1.25 in pennies was taken from Finkler's, the cash drawer being found in Second Street Sunday morning. \$2.65 and some tobacco was the loot secured at the Tobacco Co. store, while nothing of great value was missed from Kramer's.

DROVE HORSE IN STREET CAR

Polo Man, Intoxicated, Created Dis-
turbance Saturday.

William Scott, who resides west of Polo, was fined \$5 and costs by Justice Geo. W. Hill this morning for drunkenness. Scott, it is asserted by the police, drove his horse and buggy into the 10 o'clock interurban car on Saturday night, and otherwise caused a disturbance. His vehicle was not badly broken by the collision.

SENATOR JAMES
Kentuckian Will Preside
Over Democrats at St. Louis.



Photo by American Press Association.

CHURCH AND LODGE MEMORIALS SUNDAY

CATHOLIC PARISHIONERS DECOR-
ATED GRAVES OF DE-
PARTED MEMBERS.

M.W.A. AND R.N.A. SERVICES

Sunday was decoration Sunday as celebrated by Catholic churches of Rockford diocese. St. Patrick's congregation celebrated the day with services at Oakwood cemetery by decorating the graves of deceased members of the congregation and by service of prayer. The service was originated by Bishop Muldoon of Rockford diocese and he especially recommends it. This is the second annual service and it falls on the first Sunday in June.

M. W. A. and R. N. A.

The memorial services of the Modern Woodmen of America and Royal Neighbors were held Sunday afternoon. The graves of deceased members of the two orders were decorated and the Woodmen ritualistic services were given at the cemetery. Rev. E. C. Lumden of the M. E. church delivered the address at Woodman hall. A quartet composed of Mesdames Fierschultz and Pearce and Messrs. Lewis and Swin sang some appropriate music.

TWO OREGON YOUNG MEN WERE BIG STARS

LANDERS AND LOOMIS CAPTURE
HONORS AT MICHIGAN
MEET.

An Arbor, Mich., June 3.—Sherman Landers and Frank Loomis, composing the two man team of Oregon, Ill., high school, today won the annual Michigan interscholastic track and field meet by amassing a total of 34 1/2 points between them. Scott high of Toledo was second in the meet, with Grand Rapids Central, Urbana, Ill., Shaw High of Cleveland, Joliet, Ill., East Aurora, Ill., and Lane Tech of Chicago following in order.

Landers won individual honors with 23 points. Allman of Urbana, by winning all three weight events came second, while Loomis, a brother of J. Loomis, followed close.

GERMAN ATTACKS ON FORT VAUX REPULSED

PARIS ANNOUNCES FORT STILL IN
FRENCH HANDS—NEWS
FROM THE EAST.

(Associated Press)

Violent German attacks east of the Meuse last night were unsuccessful, Paris says. The French are still in possession of Fort Vaux.

Russians Driven Back

In the Caucasus the Russians left five miles with heavy losses, Constantinople announces.

Vienna states that 5,600 Italians Petrograd officially announced big successes between Pripiet marshes and the Roumanian frontier, including the capture of 13,000 prisoners.

THIRTY-TWO SHIPS LOST IN JUTLAND BATTLE IS REPORT

BRITISH ADMIRALTY SAYS 18
WERE GERMAN; 14 WERE
BRITISH.

PRIDE OF GERMAN NAVY ONE

Latest Advances Indicate Hindenburg,
Greatest Dreadnought,
Was Sunk.

(Associated Press)

The London Morning Post claims the Jutland naval battle was a complete victory for the British. The British Admiralty announces that 333 British officers were killed in the engagement.

CONVINCED PRIDE OF GERMAN NAVY WAS SUNK

Survivors from British destroyers which made a masked attack on German battleships in the battle are arriving at Edinburgh. They are convinced they sent to the bottom the pride of the German navy, the dreadnought Hindenburg. They say the boat was struck by four torpedoes.

PURSuing DAMAGED GERMAN BATTLE CRUISER

The German battle cruiser Seydlitz, badly damaged and with two big holes abaft, was sighted on Thursday morning off the Fano island, headed south. The British warships Dispatch, Ribes and Jutland were in pursuit.

GERMAN SAILORS SAY LOSSES WERE COLOSSAL

German sailors rescued by Scandinavian steamers, describe the Teuton losses as colossal, Copenhagen says. They say that many of their comrades after floating for 36 hours on rafts without food or water, drank the sea water, became insane and jumped in to the sea.

BELEIEV SEYDLITZ HAS GONE TO BOTTOM

Later reports from the Ribes say it is now believed the Seydlitz, which was of 26,000 tons displacement, was sunk and that persons living at Schleswig have received word that their relatives abroad were killed.

CONFIRM SINKING OF DREADNOUGHT HINDENBURG

British officers who participated in the battle of Jutland, and who returned to London today, identify the two big German ships sunk as the Lutzow, a cruiser of 26,000 tons displacement, and the Hindenburg. The latter is not listed in the latest naval records, but it is reported the battleship was the largest and most powerful of the dreadnought type, and was launched last fall.

EIGHTEEN GERMAN SHIPS LOST; FOURTEEN BRITISH

The British Admiralty now estimates that eighteen German and four teen British ships were lost in the Jutland battle, and claims a complete victory. The Berlin report that the armored cruiser Euraylus was destroyed in the Jutland conflict, is denied in London.

London, June 5.—Great Britain officially claimed the victory in the great naval battle of Jutland, fought last Wednesday off the Skager Rack. The admiralty issued an official statement, saying the German losses in ships were heavier than the British.

The statement follows:
"Until the commander in chief has had time to consult with the officers engaged and to write the full dispatch, any attempt to give a detailed history of the naval engagement which began on the afternoon of the 31st of May and ended on the morning hours of the 1st of June, would evidently be premature. But the results are quite plain.
Germany Took to Flight.
"The grand fleet came in touch with the German high-seas fleet at 3:30 o'clock on the afternoon of the 31st of May. The leading ships of the two fleets carried on a vigorous fight in which the battle cruisers, fast battleships and subsidiary craft all took

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SUPERVISOR'S MEETING

The June meeting of the Board of Supervisors will convene next Monday; therefore all persons holding claims against Lee County should present them to County Clerk Fred Dimick some time this week.

NACHUSA CHAPTER R. A. M.

Nachusa Chapter R. A. M. will meet this evening for work.

Vest Pocket Essays

By GEORGE FITCH
Author of "At Good Old Siwash"

Success is what a man achieves or, a humorist is successful when even when he accomplishes his aim. There is a suspicion that success consists of either fame or riches, but there are really a great many kinds of success. It depends on what a man aims at.

Some men spell success as follows: "s-u-c-c-e-s-s." They are successful as soon as the federal grand jury indicts them for trying to run the earth.

Other men have an ambition to die outside of the poorhouse. If they do this by a margin of 27 cents and two shirts, they are successful men.

Some men are not successful until the whole world talks about them, after which they have to throw away a perfectly good name and become some body else, elsewhere.

A statesman is successful if the next generation remembers him. A politician is successful if the governor-elect remembers him.

A novelist is a success when everybody reads him. A poet is successful when nobody understands him.

An artist is successful when people buy his pictures. So is a matinee act-

er. Everybody laughs at him. But an inventor isn't successful until everyone is sorry they laughed at him.

A farmer is successful when he can raise enough corn to buy an automobile. An automobile dealer is successful when he can sell enough automobiles to buy a farm.

An aviator is successful when he succeeds in staying up in the air. That is the difference between an aviator and a baseball pitcher.

Some people are successful early in life, like Josef Hofman, who was a famous pianist at nine, or Pitt, who was Prime Minister at 25. Others do not succeed until several hundred years after they are dead. It took Homer 500 years to make good, and Poe, who starved to death, is now one of our most successful writers.

Success is sweet, but it is also intoxicating and goes to the head faster than Tom and Jerry. The cautious man who is about to be successful will incase his head in barrel hoops and defy it to do its worst.

Suffragists Exerting Influence On Republican Platform Makers

Chicago, June 4.—A week of work there will be a discussion of the an suffrage activities designed to exert pressure upon the Republican national convention for the adoption of the platform of a plank favorable to universal suffrage will begin here tomorrow with the opening in the Blackstone theatre of a convention of the Congressional Union for Women's Suffrage. It will be followed on Tuesday and Wednesday by a conference of the National American Woman Suffrage association, the culmination of which will be a parade in which it is estimated that 20,000 women will march and which will carry to the Republican platform committee in session at the Coliseum a set of resolutions demanding votes for women.

The two suffrage organizations have maintained distinct and separate headquarters from which their work has been directed.

Adoption of the Susan B. Anthony amendment of the federal constitution is announced as the goal of the convention of the Congressional Union. At the first session of the three days' convention which begins tomorrow steps will be taken for the formation of a woman's party designed to attain the adoption of this amendment. A committee, it is promised, will be appointed to call upon the platform committee, of the republican convention and make a demand for a pronouncement on the suffrage issue favorable to the new party.

Women from twelve "enfranchised" states will participate in the meeting to form the Woman's party, the first session of which will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Miss Maude Younger of California, assistant national legislative chairman, will make the keynote speech as temporary chairman. The gist of this speech, it is announced, will be an attack on the Democratic administration for its failure to act favorably on the Susan B. Anthony amendment. Miss Anna Martin, of Nevada, it is predicted will be permanent chairman.

A salient part of the convention program will be a discussion of prominent western women as to how their ballots may be utilized to the best advantage for the suffrage cause. Immediately after this discussion a program designed to obtain the objects of the union will be adopted. Those taking part in the discussion will be Mrs. William Kent of California, wife of Congressman Kent; Miss Anne Martin, of Nevada; Miss Maude Younger, of California; Mrs. Dora Phelps Buell of Denver; Mrs. C. S. Haire of Montana; Mrs. Sara Bard Field of California; Mrs. Lilla Day Monroe of Kansas and Mrs. W. H. Sawtells of Arizona.

In the morning the various state delegations will register and be assigned places on the convention floor. The lower floor will be used exclusively for the voting women and the balcony will be thrown open to visitors from "unfranchised" states and the general public. The theatre has been decorated with the purple, white and gold colors of the union.

Miss Alice Paul, national chairman of the union, will call the convention to order and Miss Younger's speech will follow. The appointment of rules, resolutions and nomination committees will then be taken up.

A reception of the visiting delegates will be held in the evening.

Tuesday morning the committee will meet and in the afternoon Pittsburgh.

Wednesday night, it is announced, members of the Democratic, Republican, Progressive and Socialist parties will speak at a mass meeting at the Coliseum.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage association, is here and will preside tomorrow at the opening conference of that organization which will continue for two days. The purpose of this conference is to formulate the resolution which is to be offered by the marching women to the resolution committee of the national republican convention opening at the Coliseum from all the state women's delegations which have come to march in the parade and active Chicago suffragists will attend the conference which will adjourn Wednesday noon.

Preparations for the parade which will form at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Outer Grant park and proceed to the Coliseum where the Republican convention will be in session, are being carried on in three large gathering places. The first is the parade headquarters in the Tower building in Michigan Boulevard, where suffragists both from Chicago and out of town are registering to march and are obtaining marching regalia—the white straw sailor hat, trimmed with purple ribbon and yellow sash with white skirt and waist. Another center is the "hospitality" tent in Outer Grant park where visiting suffragists will meet.

There will be numerous social events in connection with the activities of the suffrage association, the first of which will be a convention ball and garden party given by the Chicago Equal Suffrage association tomorrow evening. Thursday afternoon the Illinois Equal Suffrage association will give a reception to suffragists and convention delegates and their wives on Chicago's new recreation pier.

Mrs. Harrison Monro Brown, president of the state association is chairman of the parade committee assisted by local Chicago suffragists. Among the distinguished suffragists expected in Chicago during the week are Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, former president of the national association; Miss Alice Stone Blackwell, of Boston, Editor of The Woman's Journal; Mrs. Alice Duver Miller, Mrs. Norin de K. Whitehouse and Mrs. Harriet B. Laidlaw of New York; Mrs. George B. Olney of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Stanley McCormick, and Miss Hannah Patterson, of New York; Mrs. Henry M. Yeomans of Wisconsin; Mrs. Henry Wade Rogers of New Haven, Conn.; and Mrs. Patty Ruffner of Kansas and Mrs. Frank M. Kossling of Pittsburgh.

There Are Many Good Shows—There Are Many Better Shows, But the BEST SHOW of Any Year Is

The Friars' Frolic

And if You Remember the Last Entertainment of This Remarkable Theatrical Association You Know This Is True!!

Some Performances Are All-Star This One Is All the Stars!!

The Friars All-Star Frolic



The Friars' Club, the unique organization of theatrical men, noted for its entertainments and its dinners to stage and literary celebrities, is to commemorate the completion of its handsome new clubhouse, "The Monastery," Forty eighth street, New York, by a big Friars' Frolic, with a whirlwind tour embracing a circle of fifteen leading cities. The itinerary of the tour that will follow, is: May 29th, Atlantic City, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Columbus, Boston, Providence. The several hundred Friars participating in the Frolic will travel in a special train of drawing-room sleepers, with two dining cars. A concert band of sixty musicians will be carried, and there will be a characteristic parade in each of the cities on the route.

The general manager of the Frolic is Sam H. Harris, of the theatrical firm of Cohan & Harris, and the performance will be under the personal direction of George M. Cohan, who, incidentally, is the Abbot of the Friars. A. L. Erlanger, of Klaw & Erlanger, is the booking and advisory director. Associated with them will be an army of well-known stage stars.

Among those who will be active in the tour are:

George M. Cohan, Albert Spalding, Frank Tinney, Louis Mann, Irving Berlin, Fred Niblo, Andrew Mack, Nat Wills, Bernard Granville, Jerry J. Cohan, Max Fignman, Lew Dockstader, James J. Corbett, George Primrose, Chas. J. Ross, Hap Ward, George Sidney, Sam H. Harris, Will Rogers, Julius Tannen, Rubie Goldberg, Bud Fisher, Eddie Garvie, Mercedes, Hal Forde, Gus Edwards, Doyle & Dixon, Tom Lewis, Jean Schwartz, Harry Carroll, Felix Adler, George S. Dougherty, Ernest Ball, Jack Wilson, Bert Levy, Sam Hardy, Vaughn Comfort, John King, Harry C. Browne, George Whitting, Tommy Gray, Andrew Benoit, Tom Dingle, Oscar Shaw, Paul Nicholson, Loney Haskell, Sam Sidman, George Botsford, Charles Juchas, Ted Barron, Dave Stamper, Jos. Smiley, Robert Fulgora, Harold Vosburgh, Tom Waters, Franklyn Ardell, Dave Ferguson, Will Morrissey, Irving Brooks, Harry Fraser, Lou Anger, Dan Quinlan, Lew Mack, William Rock.

No. 180, S. E. 1916

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City of Dixon in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, has by Local Improvement Ordinance No. 180, Series of 1916, passed by the Council of said City on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1916, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1916, ordered the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer for sanitary purposes with manholes and house connection laterals in Ottawa Avenue along the center line therefrom the southerly terminus of the sewer heretofore constructed in said Ottawa Avenue at a point thirty-five feet South of East Seventh Street to the intersection of the center line of Ottawa Avenue with the center line of

East Tenth Street produced and thence to the point of intersection of the center line of Inlet Avenue with the center line of Pine Street in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois.

That the said ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City of Dixon; that application has been made to the County Clerk of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to the benefits provided by law and said ordinance; that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said Court, and that the final hearing thereon will be had before the said Court in the County Court Room in the Court House in Dixon, in said Lee County, Illinois, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on Wednesday, the 21st day of June, A. D. 1916, or as soon thereafter as the business of said Court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said Court before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said assessment is payable in six (6) annual installments and all installments bear interest at the rate of five (5) per cent. per annum according to law, until paid.

Dated June 5th, A. D. 1916.

ALBERT B. WHITCOMBE, Commissioner

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Mr. and Mrs. George H. Glee and children of Lee Center were in Dixon Saturday.

The Ennis Bros. of Woosun, were in Dixon Saturday.

Oliver Griffith motored here Saturday from Ashton.

ROCKEFELLER GIVES MORE TO EDUCATION

\$789,980 Is Added to Gifts Already Made.

New York, June 5.—Announcement was made by the Rockefeller General Education Board of gifts to the extent of \$789,980 for educational institutions throughout the country.

The largest single donation was \$250,000 to Washington University, at St. Louis. This gift makes \$1,090,000 appropriated by the General Education board to this institution toward a total fund of \$1,500,000 to place the teaching of medicine, surgery and pediatrics on the so-called full time basis.

Coker college at Hartsville, S. C., receives \$50,000; Colby College, Waterville, Maine, \$125,000; Rockford College, Rockford, Ill., \$75,000, and \$50,000 more was voted for educational research work.

Since its organization in 1902 the board has given \$18,386,698.36 outright or towards funds to be raised amounting to \$64,963,000.

BASEBALL RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Cleve. .27 17 .614	Det. .20 23 .465
N. Y. .23 17 .575	Chi. .19 22 .463
Wash. .24 18 .571	St. L. .18 25 .419
Bost. .22 20 .524	Phil. .15 26 .366

At Chicago—R. H. E.
Chicago2 0 0 2 1 3 1 2 *—11 16 1
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Russell, Faber and Schalk; Fisher and Nunamaker.

At Cleveland—R. H. E.
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Bagby, Morton and O'Neill; Mays, Foster and Thomas.

At St. Louis—R. H. E.
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Meyers and Myer; Koob, Groom and Hartley.

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Gallia, Rice and Henry; Hamilton, Daus and Stange.

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W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
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N. Y. .22 16 .579	Pitts. .19 22 .463
Phil. .22 18 .550	Chi. .20 24 .455
Bost. .19 20 .487	St. L. .19 25 .432

No games scheduled.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fraser of Polo motored to Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lawler and son Mervin of Palmyra were in Dixon Saturday.

SEVERAL HUNDRED

families have moved to Idaho within the past 90 days. There are many great opportunities to buy rich, fertile land at reasonable prices. Let me send you a crop report showing what returns some farmers received last year—it's an "eye-opener"—you can do as well.

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JAMES AND WESCOTT AGAIN

Same Democratic Chairman and Nominator as at Baltimore.

St. Louis, June 5.—United States Senator Ollie M. James of Kentucky will be permanent chairman of the Democratic National Convention, which convenes in St. Louis at the Coliseum, June 14. John W. Westcott, attorney general of New Jersey, will nominate President Wilson for re-election. This is stated authoritatively by members of the Arrangements Committee of the Democratic National Committee.

This program makes for a historical repetition. James presided at Baltimore four years ago when Wilson was nominated and Westcott nominated Wilson.

PROPOSALS FOR TOWER CLOCKS

STATE OF ILLINOIS.

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION.

Springfield, Illinois, June 2, 1916. Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Administration in its office in the Capitol Building, Springfield, Illinois, up to ten o'clock, a. m., Tuesday, June 27th, 1916, and then there publicly opened for furnishing and installing striking tower clocks, with glass transparent dials, with automatic switch for turning off light, for buildings as follows:

Administration building at State Colony for Epileptics, near Dixon, Illinois.

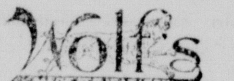
Administration building at Alton State Hospital, near Upper Alton, Illinois.

Bidder to furnish full details as to the material and installation, and to furnish a guarantee as to the accuracy of the clocks. Bid is to be submitted in a sealed envelope marked "Bid for tower clocks, Alton and Dixon." Plans of the buildings may be examined upon application to James B. Dibelka, State Architect, 130 North Fifth Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

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BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION
By FRANK D. WHIPP, Fiscal Secretary.
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CURRENT COMMENT

Philadelphia Ledger: It is apparent that the voters of Oregon are content with an oracle even when it is silent. They voted for Hughes solidly and overwhelmingly, and justified the point that Justice Hughes has a known status, made definite in 1908 and never abridged or amended.

It is almost incredible that any group of voters should have gone so heavily for a candidate without trust in him far superior to their trust in others. Mr. Roosevelt's vote in Oregon was very small smaller than of Henry Ford, whose name also had to be written in the ballot. The double significance of this is that the republicans of Oregon think Mr. Roosevelt unacceptable and think Mr. Hughes highly desirable. And Oregon spoke louder than Vermont. For whatever purpose the Hughes boom was started, it now goes forward on its own strength. The voters know him as an estimable man. They are at least sure that with him against the president a clean and sharp campaign battle will be fought.

Rockford Star: In his speech at Ottawa, Frank O. Lowden sounded his keynotes, and it would seem he had met the demand for progressive measures. He favors universal suffrage for women, he would sign a county option bill, he is in favor of continuing the civil service, he is awake to the need for revenue reform, and admits that a constitutional convention is one of the calls of the present. His position on the county option measure will clear up the situation to the extent of practically eliminating candidates who would run solely upon anti-saloon league endorsement. In fact, it would be very difficult for the league to bring out a pet candidate with such a declaration on record.

Lincoln Courier-Herald: Above its value as an auxiliary in war, the Boy Scout troop has distinct value in development of the adolescent youth's life. Lack of leaders is responsible for the collapse of the movement here. There is a call for patriotic lovers of youth to revive it.

Quincy Whig: George Perkins is paying a nice round sum for 540 Chicago hotel rooms for the Moose convention. That will mean just 540 additional marchers in the preparedness parade June 10. George never has been accused of being unpatriotic.

Sterling Standard: If dandelions were not a weed the florists would have made them three inches across by this time; there would be blue ones as well as the yellow and they would be 75 cents a dozen.

Elgin News: Another of our submarines has been damaged in a collision with a steamer. We hope the other one, comprising our great fleet, is in working order and fit to rebuff any attack on New York city or other Atlantic ports.

LOOKS GOOD FOR LOWDEN

The Rockford Republic, which has strong Progressive tendencies, and which looks with favor on the candidacy of Mayor Bennett, of that city, for governor, if he decides to allow his name to go on the primary ballot, in a recent editorial discussing a number of Republican candidates for governor, winds up with the following about Col. Lowden:

Col. Frank Lowden, the Ogle County farmer, is a very much mentioned candidate. He is pretty near as well known in this county as in Ogle and every one who knows him likes him; they can't help it. His platform as set forth in his recent speech in Ottawa, makes him the champion of a list of reforms in the government of Illinois which have been long needed and the public sentiment generally is demanding. Here are some of the things he wants:

A constitutional convention and a new constitution for the state. He wishes the state to enter upon a uniform policy for the development of a broad and permanent scientific generally is demanding. Here are some of the things he wants:

He believes the good roads movement is here to stay and that it should be perfected and developed by the state.

He declares solicitude for the health, comfort and safety of those engaged in industrial occupations and approves the industrial legislation of this state, which he says has placed Illinois in the forefront of that kind of law making.

He approves the state civil service law and favors its extension.

Like everybody else in the state he condemns the state's present taxation system and expresses the hope that Illinois will "lose no time" in getting in line with the foremost thought on the subject of revenue reform. Further, on matters relating to state finances, he says: "With the unification of our administrative agencies, the adoption of an effective budget system, the organization of a finance department, the adoption of the revenue amendment, and the revision of our revenue laws, the state will have a tremendous advance in revenue reform."

On the question of woman suffrage he declares it absurd that women should be allowed to vote for president and not for state officers—he would give them the full suffrage, just as men have it.

On the subject of county option he would let the legislators decide, and as governor would sign a county option bill should be adopted by the law makers. Col. Lowden thus far clearly leads in the primaries, and unless some important change is developed in existing political alignments his nomination as the candidate of the Republican party is near a certainty; and that his party will carry the state in November is well known in every county. He is hardly doubted by anyone. In the state, his campaign is well organized and managed, and it seems very much more likely that he will have to move down to Springfield next winter and let the hired man run his farm a few years.

WIT AND NEAR WIT

Father: What's the honeymoon, pa?

Son: The honeymoon, my son, is the only period in a man's life during which he considers it funny to come home and find that his dear little wife hasn't dinner ready on time."

"Are you going to the circus, Mr. Smith?"

"Oh, I suppose I'll have to. It's a terrible bore, but children never do appreciate the sacrifice their parents make for them."—Baltimore American.

Mother—What kind of a show did papa take you to see while you were in the city?

Bobbie—It was a dandy show, mamma, with ladies dressed in stockings clear up to their necks.

"Five me a license to marry the best girl in the world," said the young man.

"Sure," commented the clerk, "that makes 1,300 licenses for that girl this season."

This freshman wore corduroy pants; "Aha!" cried the sophs, "Our chants!"

And the garments fresh wore. When the contest was o'er Would never look well at a dants.

"Recovered from your attack of the grip, old man?"

"Not entirely."

"Why, you look as well as ever."

"Yes, but I owe the doctor \$15."

—Transcript.

The clergyman of a country village, reprehending one of his parishioners for quarreling with his wife so loudly and frequently as to be a source of perpetual disturbance in the neighborhood in the course of his exhortation remarked that man and wife were one.

"Aye, that may be, sir," answered Hodge, "but if you were to go by when me and my wife are at it us."

Wife: We must surely go to Egypt this year.

Husband: Why Egypt?

Wife: On account of those pyramids. I see by this magazine that they are slowly passing away. It would hardly do to miss 'em.

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

A Bird Tries To Steal a Gold Apple.

[Adapted from Grimm's Fairy Tales.]

SOON after supper daddy began the bedtime story: "Once upon a time a king of the east had a beautiful garden. In it stood a tree that bore golden apples. Each night these apples were always counted, so if any were stolen the king might know it. But about the time the apples became ripe one always disappeared each night. The king was very angry and told his gardener to keep watch of the tree.

"So the gardener set his eldest son to watch. But about midnight he fell asleep, and in the morning another apple was missing.

"Then the gardener set his second son to watch. At midnight he fell asleep, and in the morning another apple was gone.

"Next the third son offered to keep watch. But the gardener would not let him for fear something might happen to him. At last he gave in, and the young man lay down under the tree to watch. Just as the clock struck midnight he heard a rustling in the air, and a bird came flying and sat down on the tree. By the moonlight the gardener's son saw that the bird's feathers were all pure gold. As it was pecking at one of the gold apples the young man jumped up and shot an arrow at it. The arrow did the bird no harm. It merely dropped a golden feather from its tail and flew away. The young man then took the gold feather to the king, and in the morning all the court was called together. Every one agreed that it was the most beautiful thing he had ever seen and that it was worth more than all the gold apples in the kingdom. But the king said: 'One feather is of no use to me. I must have the whole bird.'

"Then the gardener's eldest son set out to find the bird and thought to find it very easily. When he had gone a little way he came to a wood and by the side of the wood sat a fox. The fox was fond of hunting, so he took out an arrow and made ready to shoot the fox.

"Mr. Fox, who did not like the idea of being shot, cried out: 'Softly, softly! Don't shoot me. I can give you good advice. I know you want to find the gold bird. This evening you will reach a village that has two inns. The right hand one is very pleasant and beautiful to look at. But don't go in there. The other may seem to you poor and mean, but rest there for the night.'

"The fox thought, 'What do you know about it?' and shot an arrow at the fox. But the arrow missed aim, and the fox, with a sly laugh, ran away."

"Oh, daddy, have you finished so soon?" cried Jack and Evelyn.

And daddy smiled and kissed them good night.



It Picked at One of the Apples.

City In Brief

—Regular Moose dance will be held every Thursday evening at the club rooms. 1161f

Mrs. George Smucker was a Saturday shopper from Franklin Grove.

Miss Nelta Knox returned to Chicago this morning after a week-end Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Knox.

Malcolm Cryor is here from El Paso, Ill., visiting with friends.

Dr. R. L. Baird has returned from a week's vacation visit in the Black Hills.

J. D. Gruber of Los Angeles arrived yesterday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Johnson.

Mrs. W. H. Paschen has returned to her home on East Third street much improved in health after receiving treatment at the Dixon hospital.

James R. Kelly of Amboy was in town today on business.

John Kirby, wife and sister of Sterling spent yesterday in this city with friends.

Attorney C. F. Preston of Pawpaw was here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Nevitt of DeKalb spent Sunday at the Frank Schoenholtz home here.

John Dornblazer is here for a short visit with friends, en route from Amboy, where he has been visiting his brother, to his home in Chicago. He is just recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

A. F. Dillman of Palmyra was in Dixon Saturday.

Clifton McBride of Pawpaw was in Dixon today.

Caspar Krug and family motored to Ashton Sunday.

Fred Kiester of Nelson was in Dixon Saturday.

Mrs. John Ventler of Ashton was in Dixon shopper Saturday.

Amos Rosworth returned today from Minnesota where he has been spending some time looking after some business matters.

D. L. Shottenkirke of Ashton was trading in Dixon Friday.

Mrs. Gronewald of Teall's Corners was in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ling of Lighthouse were Dixon callers Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Hawkins of Palmyra was shopping in Dixon Saturday.

R. W. Schrock and I. J. Schrock motored to Mendota and La Salle Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. George Eichenberg has returned from a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Sheetz of Saunha.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Glavin have returned from a short visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hardie and daughter, Miss Eleanor of Evansdale, week-end with Rev. and Mrs. Frederick Grant. They returned this morning via Rockford; Rev. and Mrs. Grant accompanying them to that city.

Mrs. Edward Finnegan went to Chicago Friday to visit friends and relatives.

Among those who attended the Dixon-Sterling baseball game yesterday were: John Buckley, Sim. Mee, Gene O'Connell, and William Killian.

Nicholas Fischer and a party of friends motored to La Salle Sunday and spent the day with friends.

Harvey Miller and family motored the day with relatives.

Harvey Miller and family motored to Lee Center yesterday and spent the day with relatives.

Henry Briscoe spent Sunday evening in Sterling.

John Odenthal, representing the Arabel Manufacturing company of New York, spent Sunday in this city with relatives. Mr. Odenthal will leave for the West tomorrow morning.

Edward Fieschli of Springfield is visiting the A. Dogweiler home in North Dixon.

Russell Dyers spent last evening in Sterling.

Charles O'Malley of Sterling visited this city yesterday.

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Miss Grace O'Malley returned to DeKalb this morning after spending Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Malley.

Eugene Cahill and Joe Gannon spent Sunday in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Justis Schweinsberg, Mr. and Mrs. John Salzman, and Mr. and Mrs. August Krug of this city spent Sunday in Mendota.

E. H. English has returned from a several days business visit in St. Louis and Chicago.

Misses Anza and Florence Lawton and Myra Johnson of Palmyra were Dixon shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. F. H. Howard of Brooklyn is spending a few days with her father, Stephan Tippet of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. X. F. Gehant spent Sunday in West Brooklyn and Compton.

Atty. A. H. Hanneken and a party of friends motored to Sterling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Bittorf and daughters, Marie and Beatrice, Miss Mary D'Arcy and Mrs. Mee of Sterling motored to Dixon Sunday evening.

Clinton Weiner of this city spent Sunday evening in Sterling.

Rae Arnould, Gene Talty, Lloyd Huggins, Arthur Farnum, and Guy Simonson spent Sunday evening in Sterling.

Harold Brierton and a party of Misses Marjorie Real and Marie McKeivitt of Sterling spent Sunday in this city.

Sam Betebenner of Oregon spent Sunday in this city.

Art Tigan of Rochelle was a Dixon visitor Sunday.

Miss Anna Moats, Miss Anne O'Sunday

Edward Flemming has accepted a Clipper Lawn Mower Company.

Fred Zalsman went to Peoria yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kline are the parents of a baby daughter born yesterday at the hospital.

Mrs. Katherine Winter is slightly improved after a long illness.

Mrs. Wm. Gonnerman of Ashton is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rosecrans.

Mrs. T. A. Featheringill of Chicago is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Worsley.

Mrs. Mark Kannally and daughter Isabelle of Michigan are visiting with Mrs. Frank Lawton and Mrs. Katherine Willey.

Clarence Hill of Rockford spent Sunday here with his father, Justice George W. Hill.

Leo Donohue of Chicago spent Sunday in this city.

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Why We Are Opposing A Government Armor Plant

To the People:

Some people say that the very fact that the Bethlehem Steel Company is so aggressively fighting the proposal to build a Government armor plant is conclusive proof that the Company is seeking to assure for itself the "vast profits" derived from private manufacture.

The fact is that armor making is the least profitable feature of steel manufacture.

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Even though there is but little profit in the making of armor, we have invested over \$7,000,000 in our armor plant;

That plant is useless for any other purpose; if a Government plant is built the usefulness of our plant is destroyed.

It would be good business for us to make armor for the Government at any price over and above the actual shop cost, RATHER THAN SACRIFICE OUR ENTIRE INVESTMENT.

We do not seek to save big profits; our purpose is very frankly to save our armor plant—itsself built solely for the use of the Government—from going to the scrap heap.

To do that, we are prepared to agree for any period to any terms of manufacture which the Federal Trade Commission shall say absolutely protects the Government of the United States.

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HOW QUEEN MARY WAS SUNK

German Concentrated Fire Caused Explosion—Lost in Two Minutes.

London, June 5.—The manner in which the British battle cruiser Queen Mary came to its end is described by east coast town correspondent of the Weekly Dispatch.

The ship, according to this correspondent, was sunk by the concentrated gun fire of the German capital ships causing its magazine to explode with terrific force. The forward part of the ship was blown away almost bodily and the Queen Mary went down in less than two minutes.

Three Dead, Twenty Injured.
Columbus, O., June 5.—Three are dead, a score are injured and heavy property damage has been done in Southwestern Ohio as a result of a terrific wind and electrical storm during the night. Complete reports are expected to increase the list of dead.

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DIXON TEAM LOOKS MIGHTY GOOD

Three Sterling Pitchers Bombarded All Through Contest—Other Baseball Games.

The Dixon baseball team, although it has been announced that it is not the team which will represent this city throughout the season, looked like a million to the big crowd of fans who watched them defeat the Sterling West Ends, 11 to 0, Sunday afternoon at Lincoln park. They played well together for their first game, ran bases with good judgment and hit like a German artillery detachment.

All of which combined to convince the Sterlingites that all the stuff that Sherman said war is, is not being monopolized by the armies which are playing cross-tag in Europe. For five innings Mr. Weber stood gamely in the center of the diamond and dodged the hot ones the Dixon batters aimed in his direction. Then he quit and a nice little fellow named Wise took up the work. He couldn't live up to his name and he quit after three seasons, Wilkinson finishing the unhappy contest.

Lightner Was Right.

Buck Lightner was absolutely right for his first game and with the fine support given him had no trouble at all administering the whitewash. He was never in danger and simply toyed with the fellows from the village at the west end of the terminal of Mr. Alexander's railroad system.

Devine's three-bagger in the first inning, which went to the fence in center, really put the game on ice, for Shields had already scored and there were two in the cushions when Jim put his weight against the sphere. After that the runs came easily and there was not an inning in which Dixon did not have men on the sacks.

The teams lined up:

Sterlin—Conlon, 2b; Fehrenbach, 1b; Wilkinson, 3b, p; Crangle, cf; Pfundstone, 1b; Doolin, 1b; Geiger, ss; Weber, 6; Wise, p; McCann, c.

Dixon—Shields, cf; Markle, 2b; Lightner, p; Mallach, rf; Devine, 1b; Hogan, ss; Heft, 1b; Schultz, c; Duffy, 3b.

Score by innings:
Sterling 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Dixon 3 0 0 4 0 4 0 0 x—11

FREEPORT, 5; ROPERS, 0.

The Roper furniture factory team of this city was shut out in its game with the Stevens Motor Co. team at Freeport Sunday afternoon, score 5 to 0. Keenan and Huber pitched for Dixon, with Lenox catching, and the Freeporters got but five hits off the Dixon pitchers, poor support giving them the worst end of the contest. Furthermore, the Dixon boys couldn't hit a bloomin' bit, but one safe bingle being accumulated by the woodworkers. The Dixon team was: Lenox, c; Keenan, p; J. Whitebread, 1b; E. Whitebread, 2b; Phalen, ss; Burke 3b; Larkins, if; Huber, cf, p; Culllop, cf.

ELDENA, 18; SO. DIXON, 5.

Eldena defeated the South Dixon Ghosts Sunday afternoon, 18 to 5. Chancey and Maryin were battery for Eldena; Rock, Emmert and Seybert worked for South Dixon.

EXPLAINS "SAVING" CLAUSE

Head of Trainmen Says It Is to Guard Against Reduction.

New York, June 5.—The joint conference of railroad managers and heads of the four trainmen's brotherhoods on the demands of the employees for an eight-hour basic pay day opened with an explanation by A. B. Garretson, spokesman for the men, of what is known as "the saving clause." This privilege is, said Garretson, that, whatsoever settlement is reached, it shall not cause a reduction in pay schedules on any road which may be higher than those provided for in the settlement. Working conditions under existing rules are being compared with conditions as they would prevail under the proposed new schedules when the conference adjourned.

Calvin Heads Union Pacific.

New York, June 5.—Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad elected Edgar E. Calvin president to succeed A. L. Mohler, whose resignation, due to ill health, takes effect July 1. Mr. Calvin has been vice president and general manager of the Oregon Short Line, a Union Pacific subsidiary.

People who are always constipated which brings on headaches, sallow color, foul breath, poor appetite should not delay a minute, but take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea now. You will wonder at its results. Rowland Bros.

GERMANS DRIVE FOR FORT VAUX

French Foil Attack on Second Great Citadel.

GERMAN TAKE 500 PRISONERS

Attack Is Crown Prince's First Assault on Permanent Defensive Work in Three Months—Paris Claims Onslaught Is Beaten with Heavy Losses to Foe.

Amsterdam, June 5.—German cavalry is concentrating in great strength between Tournai and Boissieux, according to a dispatch to the Telegraaf. At Tournai 70,000 German troops have arrived. Ten thousand marines are now at Bruges.

London, June 5.—A battle comparable in violence only to that at Douaumont, more than three months ago, is raging around Fort Vaux in its third day. Activities on all other sectors of the Verdun front have shrunk temporarily into insignificance compared to the desperation of this fight.

Extraordinary interest attaches to the engagement because of the fact that it is only the second German attempt in more than three months of the Verdun campaign to capture a permanent fortification. The fall of Fort Douaumont in the first week of the Verdun drive was the first German victory against one of Verdun's historic defensive works. Now the crown prince is hurling every available unit against the fort of Vaux, less than three miles east of Vaux, and less than half a mile nearer the city of Verdun.

Official reports from all sources at night show that the French are consistently repulsing all attacks on the fort itself. In the general offensive, however, Berlin claims the capture of 500 prisoners between Damloup and Caillotte wood.

Berlin Announces Gain.

The official German statement says: "West of the Meuse a minor French attack west of Hill 304 was repulsed. 'East of the Meuse there was heavy fighting between Caillotte wood and Damloup, which resulted favorably for us. We captured 500 Frenchmen, including three officers, and took four machine guns. West of Markkirch a French gas attack was unsuccessful."

Attack on Vaux.

The midnight report from Paris says: "To the left of the Meuse the activity of the artillery of both sides again became intense during the day in the region of Hill 304. Our barrage fire checked evident preparations for attack."

"To the right of the Meuse the Germans continued to bombard our positions in the region of Vaux to Damloup, their fire being especially violent against Fort Vaux. Toward 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Germans made an attack against the slopes of the Fumin woods, northwest of the fort, but were stopped by our machine gun fire. Our heavy artillery inflicted great damage on three German batteries in the Caillottes woods. Our guns shelled and dispersed some German concentrations in the Caillotte woods."

STUDENTS STORM THEATER

Five University of Wisconsin Boys Arrested Following Melee.

Madison, June 5.—A crowd of about 800 University of Wisconsin students clashed with the police in front of the Orpheum Theater while celebrating the track meet victory at Evanston, Ill., and as a result five students were arrested on the charge of disorderly conduct, several suffered severe lacerations about the head and face, and two women were slightly injured.

The students demanded admission to the theater and when this was refused they started to storm the place and the police were called.

THREE GERMAN SHIPS SUNK

Overseas News Agency Says Victims Were Given No Warning.

Berlin, June 5.—"Swedish newspapers report that three German steamships have been torpedoed by a submarine, probably in Swedish waters, and that no warning was given," says the Overseas News Agency.

"Six men perished. Inasmuch as a British torpedo was found near Skelberviken the Swedish press considers it certain that the ships were torpedoed by a British submarine."

IDENTIFY 2 WRECK VICTIMS

Woman Killed at Packard, Iowa, Head of Odd Fellow Orphans' Home.

Mason City, Ia., June 5.—The bodies of two women who were killed in the Rock Island wreck at Packard, Ia., Friday, have been identified as those of Mrs. Ida Lewis and her sister, Mrs. P. J. Horne of Fairfield, Ia.

Mrs. Lewis for the last sixteen years was matron of the Iowa Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home and the Home for the Aged at Mason City, Iowa.

W. E. Ambrose is here from Geneseo on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cromwell motored to Amboy yesterday and visited friends.

BRITAIN CLAIMS NAVAL VICTORY

Admiralty Report Says Germans Lost Eighteen Ships.

WERE CHASED BACK TO COVER

London Claims Enemy's Losses Were Heavier Than England's, "Not Merely Relatively, but Absolutely"—Says 2 Battleships, 6 Cruisers, 9 Destroyers and U-Boat Sunk.

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an active part.

"The losses were severe on both sides, but when the main body of the British fleet came in contact with the German high-seas' fleet a very brief period sufficed to compel the latter, who had been severely punished, to seek refuge in their protected waters."

"This maneuver was rendered possible by the low visibility and mist, and although the grand fleet now and then was able to get into momentary contact with their opponents, no continued action was possible."

"They continued the pursuit until the light wholly failed, while the British destroyers were able to make a successful attack on the enemy during the night."

Searched for Wrecks.

"Meanwhile Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, having driven the enemy to port, returned to the main scene of action and scoured the sea in search of disabled vessels."

"By noon of the next day, the first of June, it became evident that nothing more could be done, and he returned therefore to his bases, 400 miles away, re-fueled his fleet and on the evening of June 2 was again ready to put to sea."

"The British losses already have been fully stated, and there is nothing to add to or subtract from the latest account published by the Admiralty."

Enemy Losses Hard to Learn.

"The enemy losses are less easily determined. That the accounts they have given the world are false is certain. We cannot yet be sure of the exact truth, but from such evidence as has come to our knowledge the Admiralty entertains no doubt that the German losses were heavier than those of the British, not merely relatively to the strength of the two fleets, but absolutely."

"There seems to be the strongest ground for supposing that included in the German losses are two battleships, two dreadnaught battle cruisers of the most powerful type, two of the latest light cruisers, the Weisbaden and Elbing, a light cruiser of the Rostock type, the light cruiser Frauenlob and at least nine destroyers and a submarine."

This makes a total of eighteen vessels.

Ray Miller made a business trip to Amboy today.

President Signs Army Bill.

Washington, June 5.—President Wilson has signed the army bill providing for material increases in the land defenses. The new law provides a standing army of 206,000 regulars and increases the strength of the militia to 424,000.

Big Nine Colleges Keep Baseball.

Chicago, June 5.—Big Nine officials voted to retain baseball among conference colleges during 1917. James Puige, faculty representative of the University of Minnesota, cast the only dissenting vote.

**Not a Bite of
Breakfast Until
You Drink Water**

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and putrid-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take insular baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing. Because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do, just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE

Theatre goes will be given a real treat at the Princess tonight. "The Bruiser," a five-part Mutual Master picture, with Wm. Russell and Charlotte Burton in the leading roles.

"The Bruiser" established an entirely new standard for labor plays. It pictures a fight of labor against capital and furnishes an interesting picture of the various types making up American society.

There is a certain bigness and dignity of the spirit of work which has been caught by Director Chas. Bartlett in this drama which makes spectators realize the worthiness of the big-hearted, brawny men who depend upon muscular strength for their existence.

173. FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, caused to be filed in the County Court of said County of Lee on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1916, a certificate, showing the final cost of constructing vitrified tile pipe sewer, with manholes, house connection laterals and flushing tank for sanitary purposes in Ottawa avenue, constructed in said City of Dixon under and in pursuance of City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance Number 173, Series of 1915, and the amount estimated by said Board to be required to meet accruing interest on bonds or vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work. Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the contractor, doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown by said certificate are:

962 linear feet of 8" sewer at eighty (80) cents per linear foot	\$769.60
520 linear feet of 6" sewer at sixty (60) cents per linear foot	\$312.00
2 manholes at Thirty (30) Dollars each	60.00
1 flushing tank, complete at Eighty (80) Dollars	80.00
200 cubic yards of extra rock excavation at Two (2) Dollars per cubic yard	400.00
Total cost of work	\$1621.60
Lawful expense	117.00
Total cost of improvement	1738.60
Estimated to cover lapsing interest	97.50
Total assessment	\$1835.90

Public notice is further given that the Court had set said certificate and any objections that may be filed thereto for hearing at nine o'clock in the forenoon on Thursday, the first day of June, A. D. 1916, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court would permit; that at said time an order was entered by the Court continuing said matter to June 21, 1916, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of publishing and posting notice of the hearing on the certificate of final cost.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room, in the Court House, in the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois. All persons interested may file objections before said time set for hearing and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated June 5, A. D. 1916. Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

By MARK C. KELLER, Its Attorney.

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M. E. CONFERENCE SEPT 13

About 300 Ministers Expected to Attend Gathering at Robinson.

Duquoin, Ill., June 5.—Rev. Zelah J. Farmer of Duquoin, secretary of the Southern Illinois Methodist Episcopal conference, announced that the annual conference will be held at Robinson September 13 to 23.

About 300 ministerial and a smaller number of lay delegates will attend the session.

PEORIA YIELDS BIG REVENUE

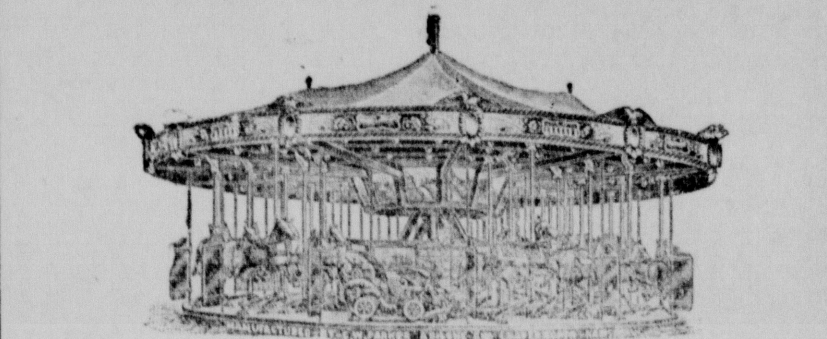
Total Internal Tax for Year Will Be \$29,000,000.

Peoria, Ill., June 5.—More than 425,000 gallons of alcohol were manufactured by Peoria distilleries in May. Taxes paid on spirits from the district for May totaled \$2,246,269.86.

The total amount of internal revenue collections for the year ending June 30 from Peoria will amount to \$29,000,000.

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PLAY HERE WEDNESDAY.
"Chad" Woodyatt of this city will meet Jones of DeKalb in the next game of the inter-city series at the Brunswick parlors Wednesday evening. Woodyatt is now leading the race for the championship and with ordinary luck his chances are very good.

William Worley of the Miller Music store played Saturday in the Preparedness parade in Chicago with the Moose band.

CREDITORS' MEETING.
There will be a meeting of the creditors of the Soda Grill at the office of H. S. Dixon tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock for the purpose of examining the bankrupt, and appointing a referee.

SPECIAL Suit Sale

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PURSUING our established policy of clearing our racks BEFORE the season closes and giving our customers an opportunity of a special bargain when they need a suit. The lot contains all the season's newest and most desirable cloths and colors.

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SHOPPING IN SASSAFRAS.

Quaint Way of Buying Supplies in a Remote Village.

Mrs. Maude Darrell Hoffman, a pioneer of country week work, was praising in Hartford the country vacation.

"A country vacation is better than a seashore one," she said. "You see things so much quainter. And the further into the country you go the quainter become the things you see."

"I once spent August in a village called the Head of Sassafra, a village down in Maryland. The postoffice there was the general store. The morning after my arrival I went to the general store for my mail.

"A little girl preceded me with an egg in her hand.

"Give me an egg's worth of tea, please," I heard her say to the postmaster-storekeeper; "an ma says ye might weigh out an egg's worth of sugar, too, for the black hen's a-chuckin', and I'll be up again in a minute."

IRREGULAR DECLENSION.



Mama—So you've been learning all about grammar at school today. Can you tell me the plural of sugar?
Tommy—Why—er—lumps, of course.

Expiation by Proxy.

A recently appointed woman supervisor of the public schools one day happened in a school where a young incorrigible was being punished.

"Have you ever tried kindness?" inquired she of the teacher. "I did at first, but I've got beyond that now," was the reply.

At the close of the lesson the supervisor asked the boy to call on her on the following Saturday.

A boy arrived at the hour appointed. The hostess showed him her best pictures, played him her liveliest music and set him a delicious luncheon, and then thought it time to begin her sermon.

"My dear," she began, "were you not unhappy to stand before all the class for punishment?"

"Please, ma'am," broke in the boy, with his mouth full of cake, "it wasn't me you saw; it was Billy, and he gave me a dime to take and take your jawing."

Her Proper Place.

Father-in-law. — "Where's your wife?"

Young Husband. — "At the Suffragette meeting, I guess."

Father-in-law. — Disgraceful! Disgraceful, I say! She ought to be here looking after her duties. Suffragette meeting, indeed! She should be in her own home, darning stockings, making puddings—

Young Husband. — Oh, don't say that, father, I—

Father-in-law. — But I will, sir. She ought—

Young Husband. — But you wouldn't if you only knew how she—

Father-in-law. — Yes, I would. There is no excuse—none whatever.

Young Husband. — I was going to say that you wouldn't say so—

Father-in-law. — I—I—I—

Young Husband. — If you knew what sort of puddings she makes.

By paying \$3 in advance for one year's subscription to the Evening Telegraph and agreeing to take it for one more year we give you a Leu County atlas free, the value of which is \$3.

Ree David of Kansas City is in Dixon visiting.

TREPANNED SKULL CENTURIES AGO

ANCIENT PERUVIAN SURGEONS PERFORMED DELICATE OPERATIONS

Tapped Head of the Dying Man With a Baton.

Dr. Joseph C. Thompson, lieutenant commander in the United States Navy, has written a detailed description of the methods of trepanning practiced by the Indians of Peru more than 1,800 years ago.

They are known as pre-Columbian Indians and more than 5,000 of their skulls have been collected by Dr. A. Hardlicka, curator of the division of physical anthropology of the National museum.

"The evidence of trepanning skill among the earliest Indians is shown for the first time," Dr. Thompson said. The "surgical" instruments consist of sharpened flints of various shapes and sizes, and the skulls of the collection show that the first "medicine men" were no mean surgeons.

"Primitive people are careful observers of nature," Dr. Thompson says in his paper, "and it is to this that we owe their skill in hunting and woodcraft. These ancient Peruvian Indians observed that once in a while warriors who had received a serious injury of the head recovered instead of dying. In the course of time they learned that these recoveries were due to one of several causes.

"The skull in the living subject, is very resilient, and it may have happened occasionally that when a piece of the skull wall was displaced or dented, thus compressing the brain, this offending fragment suddenly sprang back into place, thereby relieving the symptoms and affording the patient a chance to recover. Among primitive peoples some very curious ceremonial rites take place over the dying. These rites at times assume the character of a vigorous massage of the body, and they even tapped the head of the dying man with a baton. This latter action might readily result in a lucky repair of the broken skull.

"Then, again, after a warrior had lain unconscious for many days, splintered and broken bits of skull might necrose and be sloughed off at the bottom of an open sore. This also might have resulted in a recovery.

"When the medicine men had observed these phenomena a few times, their next logical step would be to attempt to assist nature in her processes of restoration. They did this by prying the displaced fragments into place and by digging out, often with their finger tips, splintered bits of bone. Another of their observations was that a wound with sharp, clean cut edges would heal much more rapidly than one with a rough jagged contour.

The result of their observations was that they attempted to convert the rough, irregular gashes in the skull into smooth clean cut surgical wounds. This was usually done by scraping the edges of the break with the sharpened flints.

"They further advanced in the science of physical diagnosis to the point of observing that, now and then, a warrior died from a really small fracture of the skull. This led them to operate quickly and some of the slender pieces of sharpened flint may have been used to raise the crushed portion of the skull after an incision had been made."—New York Times.

FRANKLIN GROVE

Franklin Grove, June 3.—Mr. W. A. Pegram was a business caller in Chicago Thursday.

Ira Lahman and family were in Mt. Morris Thursday to attend the play at the College. Le Roy Lahman taking part in the play.

John Reinhardt was a Dixon visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Lincoln Raffensberger is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Watson Crawford in Dixon.

Miss Helen Lahman was a Ro-

chelle visitor Thursday.

Dr. Banker was a caller in Dixon Thursday.

Mrs. Dr. Banker entertained the Eastern Star with a card party Friday afternoon at her home. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Lillie Hausen spent Thursday in Dixon.

Miss James Story of La Salle is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. N. Trostle.

C. W. Lahman and family and John Lahman were visitors in Dixon Thursday.

Mrs. Wirtman of Velasca, Neb., is a guest at the home of her mother Mrs. Harrison Hausen.

Miss Etha Trostle and girl friend returned from Mt. Morris Friday, the former having completed a year in Mt. Morris college.

Miss Mae Wolf was a guest of friends in Mt. Morris a few days this week.

Le Roy Lahman returned from Mt. Morris Friday where he was a member of the graduating class of 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dietler of McPherson, Kansas, came Saturday for a few days visit with relatives here. They are on their way to annual meeting in Winona Lake, Ind.

Miss Phoebe Brundage returned Friday from Sandwich where she attended the wedding of a friend.

Priscilla club meets Friday with Mrs. E. E. Miller at the James Conlan home.

The F. G. H. S. held an ice cream social Saturday evening in the new building of Smith & Hull. A good crowd was in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Senger and daughter went to Dixon Friday for a visit with the latter's parents.

Mrs. T. N. Brown, Mrs. N. T. Sheep, Carroll Lahman attended a Sunday School convention held in Peoria the first of the week.

Miss Maud Conlon is a guest of relatives in Morrison.

Clinton Mossholder of Dixon was a visitor here Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ida Price returned Friday after several days visit with friends in Mt. Morris and Oregon.

U. S. Buys Rifle Range.

Ashland, Neb., June 5.—Adjutant General Hall, in company with Colonel E. J. Murlin and Major Hazel, members of Governor Morehead's staff, were in Ashland and completed arrangements by which Uncle Sam becomes the owner of between 800 and 900 acres of land three miles northeast of town, on which will be located a government rifle range.

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WRITE FOR COLORED MAP

OF NEW YORK.

GUILTY OF MURDERING GIRL

Jury Convicts Kansas Farm Hand for Slaying School Teacher.

Syracuse, Kas., June 5.—Archie Sweet, a farm hand, was found guilty of first degree murder for the killing of Miss Nellie J. Byers, a Grant County school teacher.

Under the verdict Sweet would be sentenced to the penitentiary for life. His attorneys gave notice of an appeal. The body of the school teacher, who was twenty-three years old, was found in the weeds on a lonely road in October, 1912, near here. She had been strangled to death. Sweet surrendered after bloodhounds had been put on his trail, but maintained his innocence.

Death of Royal Gorge Builder.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 5.—Sidney A. Butler, civil war veteran and the engineer in charge of construction of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad line through the Grand Canyon of the Arkansas, which is better known as the Royal Gorge, is dead at his home here. Mr. Butler was sixty-nine years old. He was born in Milwaukee.

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June 12, 1916

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Des Moines, Iowa. — "Four years ago I was very sick and my life was nearly spent. The doctors stated that I would never get well without an operation and that without it I would not live one year. My husband objected to any operation and got me some of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and commenced



to get better and am now well, am stout and able to do my own housework. I can recommend the Vegetable Compound to any woman who is sick and run down as a wonderful strength and health restorer. My husband says I would have been in my grave ere this if it had not been for your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. BLANCH JEFFERSON, 703 Lyon St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Before submitting to a surgical operation it is wise to try to build up the female system and cure its derangements with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; it has saved many women from surgical operations.

Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice—it will be confidential.

On Trial.

A Scotchman stood beside the bed of his dying wife, and in tearful accents asked was there anything he could do for her.

"Yes, Sandie," she said; "I'm hoping you'll bury me in Craeburn kirkyard."

"But, my lass," he cried, "only think of the awful expense! Would ye no be comfortable here in Aberdeen?"

"No, Sandie; I'd no rest in my grave unless I was buried in Craeburn."

"It's too much you're askin'," said the loving husband, "and I cannot promise ye any such thing."

"Then, Sandie, I'll no give you any peace until my bones are at rest in my native parish."

"Ah, weel, Maggie," said he, "I'll just gie ye a three months' trial in Aberdeen, an' see how ye get along."

Be Natural.

First Porter. — "Gee, dat man gib me a large tip."

Second Porter. — "Yep. An' done gib yo'self away by thanking him and smilin'."

First Porter. — "Why, ain't dat all right?"

Second Porter. — "No, sah. If yo had acted natchul he'd felt obligated to do it next time. See?"

Her Pa Was a Planter.

A Kentucky girl whose father was an undertaker was sent to a fashionable New York boarding-house for a finishing term. One day one of the girls asked what business her father was in, and, fearing she would lose caste if she told the truth, she carelessly answered: "Oh, my father's a Southern planter."

We have just received a new supply of white paper for the bureau drawers and pantry shelves.

MIKE THE MESSENGER

MAMA HAD A FAT CHANCE OF RIDING IN THE LITTLE BENZINE BUGGY.

BY

WALT DESMOND.

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HOP IN, PANSY! WE'RE GOIN' OUT TO THE "EXPO" GROUNDS IN STYLE

MAMMA SAYS I CAN'T GO, MIKE UNLESS WE TAKE HER!

DAT'S AWRIGHT - I LOVE DE LADIES! ALL UV'EM! TELL MOM TO GIT A MOVE ON

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WANTED. Girl to work on farm. Phone 9310. 131tf

WANTED. Women. Full time salary \$15.00 selling guaranteed hosiery to wearers; 25c an hour spare time. Permanent, experience unnecessary. Inter Hosiery Mills, Norristown, a. 131 3*

WANTED. Plain sewing or mending. Mrs. Fisher, South College Bldg., or phone 12973. 11f

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Best land north of Iowa, \$3.00 per acre and up. Reliable resident will locate homesteads. Wadsworth Co., 525 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn. 24tf

FOR SALE. Two good houses and lots, one with barn; cash or monthly payments. See Sam Yates, 619 Lincoln Ave. Phone R. 932. 123 12*

FOR SALE. Improved farms at cost of clearing stumps. Show best soil and bargains or pay your fare. Wadsworth Co., Temple Court, Minneapolis. 152tf

FOR RENT. 6 room modern apartment at the Young Flats, 316 3rd St. 105tf

FOR SALE. Baby carriage, good as new; very low price. all at 12634 Madison Ave. or phone 370. 130

FOR SALE. One Etnyre street sprinkler. Can be seen at L. T. Moores, Ashton, Ill. Write or phone 125. 124 18

NOTICE: 50 to 75 loads of dirt on S. Dixon Ave. between 4th and 5th Sts. Will give away for the hauling. 131 3*

THE EASIEST WAY.

The Best of Us May Be Wrong. So Don't Believe Conclusive Evidence.

Mr. Gilberry was strolling up and down the dusty road in the broiling sun, clad only in a short-kneed bathing suit. The native drew up before him curiously, looking him over carefully.

"Want a lift, mister?" "No, thank you."

"It's quite a way to the shade, partner—better jump in!"

"No, thanks."

"This sun'll peel you, stranger, if you don't get out of it!"

"I hope so," crossing his arms complacently over his breast.

The native studied Mr. Gilberry for a moment. "If it ain't pryin' into your affairs too much, I'd like to know what you are paradin' around in this killin' sun dressed like that for?"

"To save time," answered Mr. Gilberry, critically examining a red arm.

The native regarded Mr. Gilberry profoundly, sadly shook his head, tapped his forehead significantly, and clucked to his horse. The sun had done it, of course.

Which shows that the best of us may be mistaken, and that conclusive evidence is only an empty phrase, for Mr. Gilberry could spare only two days to go to the seashore.

Tourist Bromidioms.

A statistician who recently returned from a trip to British Columbia is willing to arm that he heard people ask:

"How cold does it get here in the winter?" 2,133 times.

"What is the height of that mountain?" 796 times.

"How far away do you suppose that glacier is?" 921 times.

"Is this the Medicine Hat where the weather comes from?" 1,142 times.

"How far do you suppose it is over to where that man is ploughing?" 1,231 times.

"Are there any trout in that stream?" 4,621 times.

"Do the bears ever come down to the railroad?" 944 times.

"Where do we change time again?" 6,989 times.

"Why is it that it doesn't get dark here until nearly ten o'clock?" 3,103 times.

"Has anybody ever climbed to the top of that mountain?" 2,246 times.

"Are these the Rockies or the Selkirk?" 9,712 times.

"Wouldn't it be great if we could have one of these mountains set down on the prairie back of Chicago?" 562 times.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Where Ignorance Is Bliss.

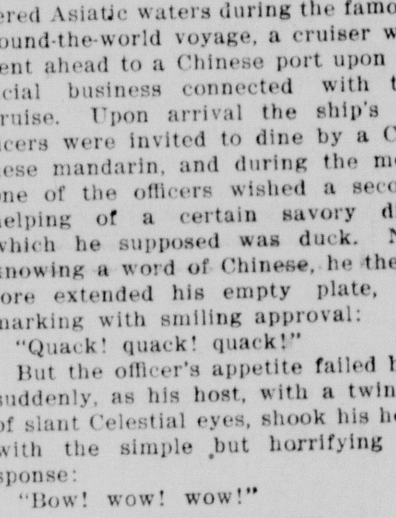
When the United States fleet entered Asiatic waters during the famous round-the-world voyage, a cruiser was sent ahead to a Chinese port upon official business connected with the cruise. Upon arrival the ship's officers were invited to dine by a Chinese mandarin, and during the meal one of the officers wished a second helping of a certain savory dish which he supposed was duck. Not knowing a word of Chinese, he therefore extended his empty plate, remarking with smiling approval:

"Quack! quack! quack!"

But the officer's appetite failed him suddenly, as his host, with a twinkle of sly Celestial eyes, shook his head with the simple but horrifying response:

"Bow! wow! wow!"

A FELLOW FEELING.



Elizabeth—Bob is so kind to dumb brutes.

Brother Jack—Huh, he's married and appreciates them.

Something New in Arithmetic.

A member of the school board was visiting a public school not long ago when he encountered a small boy in the hall.

"What are you studying, my boy?" the visitor asked.

"Arithmetic and geography," answered the boy.

"And what are you learning in arithmetic?"

The boy thought for a minute, then he replied, "Guzinta."

"Guzinta?" said the surprised official. "What's that?"

"Why, don't you know?" said the boy. "Two guzinta four, three guzinta six, four guzinta eight, five guzinta ten."

Poor Things!

"What's that big building over there?"

"That's the home for aged and indigent persons who have been mentioned for the vice-presidency."

What's in a Name?

Hostess (to visitor).—Do try this chair. It's really quite comfortable for—er—an antique."

—Graduates, if you need cards to

enclose with your invitations have them printed at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

paid.

FIND INSPIRATION WHILE SLEEPING

POETS AND ARTISTS OWE MAS- TERPIECES TO LITERATURE OF DREAMS

Coleridge Gave Best Example of this Sort of Talent

The world owes many a masterpiece to inspiration found in sleep. One of the most extraordinary examples of dream literature is Coleridge's "Kubla Khan." Though only a fragment of this poem is extant, we are assured by the poet that he actually composed during sleep, more than 200 lines. At the time he was in ill health and one day fell into a deep sleep in his chair. His sleep lasted for three hours, and on awakening Coleridge had a vivid recollection that he had composed a poem of no mean merit. Immediately he began to put it to paper, but when he had written the few lines we know he was called away from his desk and on returning an hour later he found, to his mortification, that the remainder of the poem had escaped his memory and passed into oblivion.

"The Ancient Mariner" also owes its inception to a dream. Crickshank, Dickens' illustrator, dreamed the story which approximates to the poem, and related it to Coleridge, who agreed that it would make the ground-work for a good poetic work and ultimately wrote the poem as we know it today.

Probably the most quoted line in Thomas Campbell's poems is, "Coming events cast their shadows before," and it was to an inspiration during sleep that the author owes its composition. When working on "Lochiel's Warning," Campbell, says Mr. Adam Miller in the "Book Monthly," was for a long time unable to find a companion line to "Tis the sunset of life gives me mythical lore," and it was while asleep that his thoughts completed the couplet with "Events to come cast their shadows before."

Awakening at 2 o'clock in the morning he seized his pen and committed the line to paper, altering it later to the form which it takes in the poem.

Lord Tennyson confessed that many beautiful passages often occurred to him during sleep, but on his return to consciousness they had usually faded away. On one occasion he dreamed what he thought to be the most beautiful poem ever composed, "a marvel of grace and beauty and high thinking." When he awoke, however, all he could remember was this:

May a cock sparrow Write to a barrow? I hope you'll excuse My infantile muse!

William Morris made an equally amusing confession when he was once asked if he ever wrote poems in his sleep. He replied that after reading "Kubla Khan," and wishing he could dream something half as fine, he himself dreamt a poem that moved him to tears by its beauty. Asked if he remembered the poem when he awoke, he answered, grimly, "Yes, one line," and this was the line: "The moonlight slept on a treacle sea." "And then I ceased to weep," he added, "and haven't wished to dream poems again."

One of the greatest of literary dreamers was Robert Louis Stevenson, and his "Chapter on Dreamers" relates how the "brownies" became useful in providing him with stories for his books. "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," directly due to one of his dreams.—Tit Bits.

DUSTLESS ASH CAN PATENTED

Consists of Revolving Frame and Eight Receivers.

A patented ash receiver now being manufactured is a device used in connection with the heating plant to receive the ashes which are drawn to the opening and fall thru this opening into a can beneath. Eight cans are mounted in a circle on a revolving frame in a pit below the firebox of the heating plant.

When a can is filled a frame within is turned by a lever, bringing an empty can into place and so on until all of the cans are filled. The cans are constructed of corrugated steel and the plates of iron. The invention is regarded as filling a long felt want for an ash receiver that will do away with the annoyance of creating dust in the cellar near a heating plant when ashes are removed from the firebox.

TIME SAVING ENVELOPE

Can Be Opened With Single Quick Stroke—Now on Market

To business men and others who have to open a great number of letters and who find the old fashioned flap envelope a time consuming nuisance, the idea contained in a recent invention would be an effective time saver.

To enable the recipient of the letter to open it with a single stroke, a set of parallel slits with overlapping ends is provided in the flaps of the envelope. A small tongue is cut in the paper at the point where the lines meet. When this tongue is pulled the paper tears diagonally from one slip to another in rapid succession.

Thus, with a swift movement the envelope is neatly and squarely cut open without injuring the contents.

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GOOD BACKS FOR BAD

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Ducks	10 10
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SHORT BOYS AND GIRLS GROW FOR LONGER TIME

Also Tells Some Queer Things About Tall and Dumpy Children—Cites Teaching Ills.

That short boys and girls keep on growing for a longer time than tall boys and girls, but with less rapidity, and that school systems are remiss in their standards of grading, are some of the conclusions reached by Dr. Bird T. Baldwin, professor of psychology and education in Swarthmore College, in a book just issued by the University of Chicago Press.

The volume is the fifteenth year book of the National Society for the study of Education and Dr. Baldwin's article is entitled, "Physical growth and Physiological Age."

He takes the position that the schools should take into consideration the physiological ages of students and the accompanying mental development rather than the chronological age and the brightness of the child.

Prof. Daniel Starch of the University of Wisconsin, in an article on "Standard Tests as Aids in the Classification and Promotion of Pupils," urges the institution of a department of testing in every school system.

"The two chief sources of waste in education are (1) teaching things that the bright pupils already know and (2) teaching things that none of the pupils need know."

"Economy in the latter will be achieved by ascertaining what the really essential and important things in each subject are."

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TIME TABLE**ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.**

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.

123 Southern Exp. 11:03 a. m.

121 Clinton Exp.* 5:13 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp.* 9:45 a. m.

24 Local Mail 5:39 p. m.

20 North Mail 8:20 p. m.

Freeport Freight* 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified.

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 5:28 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 p. m.

28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.

18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

10 11:24 a. m. 2:00 p. m.

20 11:12 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:30 p. m.

4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

100 4:15 p. m. Sun. only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun. 10:20 a. m.

9 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.

3 10:45 a. m. 1:20 p. m.

9 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.

27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p. m.

11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

5 6:10 p. m. 9:04 p. m.

17 9:35 p. m. 12:06 p. m.

7 10:00 p. m. 12:23 a. m.

3 11:20 p. m. 2:22 a. m.

801 8:30 a. m. 12:05 p. m.

TIME-MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice.

Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to insure its dispatch:

East Mail.

Train Time

No. 6 1:00 a. m.

No. 28 6:55 a. m.

No. 20 10:40 a. m.

No. 4 3:55 p. m.

No. 12 5:40 p. m.

West Mail.

No. 5 9:55 a. m.

No. 13 12:5

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Men's Work Shirts, each25c

.....25c, 40c, 45c, 50c

Boys' Waists, large assortment at 25c

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.....50c, 65c, 75c, 81

Children's Barefoot Sandals50c

Tennis Shoes, white or black, sizes

11 to 250c

3 1/2 to 655c

Men's Fine Socks, all shades,

3 pairs25c

Men's Silk Socks, all shades,

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AUSTRIAN EFFORT IS HALTED, SAYS ROME

Declares Final Drive Against Plateau Has Failed.

Rome, June 5.—The maximum effort of the Austrians was made on May 29 and 31 and June 1 against the plateaus of Arsiero and Asiago. The Austrians used nine divisions of reserves. The result was disastrous to the Austrians, who suffered enormous losses.

The Italians succeeded in rapidly concentrating many new heavy guns and large masses of infantry on these plateaus against which the Austrian offensive was shattered.

The Italian counter-offensive began on June 1 on the right wing, and continues to be extended along the whole battle front. The Italian authorities have absolute confidence in the complete success of their counter-offensive, while the Austrian effort to invade Italy is regarded as a failure.

Chandlerville Gets Rebekas.

Chandlerville, Ill., June 5.—Chandlerville will get the next Rebekah state convention, having defeated Mason City. Mrs. J. M. Strubinger, retiring vice president, was elected presiding officer and Miss Verdie Anderson, secretary.

INVENTS STOP CLOCK FOR TIMING CONTESTS

New Device is Also Fitted With "Time Out" Mechanism—Rings at Proper Intervals

A Philadelphia man has invented a stop clock for timing basketball and other games. While the clock was designed for timing basketball games, it can be used for other sports also.

It rings every twenty minutes of actual play, that is, at the beginning and end of each half. It is also fitted with a time out mechanism, so that by pulling a cord the clock is stopped for two minutes and a time out sign is automatically displayed.

In one minute and forty five seconds a buzzer sounds to notify the referee that he has fifteen seconds to get the ball and put it into play. At the end of the two minutes the ball again rings and the time out sign drops. Another stop is arranged, which stops the clock for any length of time.

HAS AN ANTI-ZEPPELIN BULLET

Englishman's Device Breaks in Sparks When Fired

After many months' experimenting, J. A. Sambrook of Ellesmere Port, England, has invented a bullet which travels at a tremendous velocity and emits a trail of sparks, which he asserts, will pass thru a Zeppelin like a comet thru space and instantly blow it up.

The invention consists of an ordinary sized bullet charged with a special preparation which ignites with its passage thru the air.

The bullet can be fired from an ordinary rifle and is easily adaptable to aircraft and machine guns.

Every woman looks forward to the time when she'll be in position to boss some man.

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NOTICE FOR BIDS.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that bids for the supplies required for the subsistence of the inmates and the maintenance of the Lee County Home, for the three months beginning July 1st, 1916, will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Lee County up to 2 p. m., Monday, June 12, 1916. Copies of the estimate of the articles required may be obtained from the County Clerk.

By Order of

COUNTY HOME COMMITTEE.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Samuel J. Whetston, Republican candidate for Coroner of Lee County, Steward, Illinois. Subject to Republican Primaries.

MINISTER PATENTS A DEVICE.

Invention Holds Sheet or Book Before Typists Eyes.

Rev. Gustav A. Weisshaar of Brazil, Ind., has been granted patent on a copy holder for a typewriter. His invention consists of a folding metal framework, which can be attached to any modern standard make of typewriter. The framework supports a folding rack somewhat similar to that on a music stand. This is arranged to hold either sheets of paper or a book.

Rev. Weisshaar said that in getting up his sermons he often desired to quote directly from books and he found it very inconvenient to lay the book to one side of the typewriter and thus read the copy with desired speed.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

IRONING DAY MENU.

TUESDAY—BREAKFAST.

Sliced Pineapple. Cereal and Cream.

Toasted Bacon.

Rolls. Coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Mince of Lamb on Toast.

Toasted Scones.

Sliced Bananas. Tea.

DINNER.

Tomato Bouillon.

Roiled Salmon. Baked Potatoes.

Buttered Mushrooms. Lettuce.

Caramel Custard. Coffee.

The Salad Bowl.

CELERY SALAD.—Celery may be used in combination with chicken, veal, fish, apples, nuts, oysters, peppers, tomatoes, potatoes, beets, etc.

A very pretty salad is made by covering crisped white celery cut in cubes with a white mayonnaise made by adding the whites of two eggs to the regular mayonnaise recipe and half a cupful of whipped cream. Garnish with sliced tomatoes and celery.

Chicken Salad in Tomatoes.—Select smooth, good sized tomatoes, peel them and let them get ice cold. Then cut off the tops, scoop out the insides and fill the tomato with chicken salad. Put a dash of mayonnaise on top and serve the tomato on crisp lettuce leaves.

Lamb and Mint Salad.—Cut some cold lamb in cubes, mix with an equal part of cold diced potatoes and some mayonnaise dressing. Serve with mint jelly cut in fancy shapes.

Ham and Cabbage Salad.—Take the odds and ends of a boiled ham, cut very fine, add five hard cooked eggs mashed to a paste with a piece of butter the size of an egg, one-half a pint of shredded cabbage, one chopped apple, one chopped cucumber pickle and celery seed, pepper and mustard to taste. Place in a salad bowl, put a little of the shredded cabbage on top with watercress or parsley.

Liver and Egg Salad.—Take one cupful of chopped cooked liver, either boiled or fried; three hard boiled eggs and two small onions. Chop the eggs and liver together, but not too fine. Chop the onion very fine. Mix all with a French dressing and serve on lettuce.

Fish and Radish Salad.—Separate into flakes with a fork any cold fresh or canned fish, season with pepper, lemon juice and a few drops of table sauce and pack firmly in a mold. Chill thoroughly, and at serving time cut into squares. Arrange on a bed of radish leaves and parsley, place a radish rose in the center of each square and serve with mayonnaise dressing.

Sweet Potato Salad.—Peel and boil a good sized sweet potato, mash thoroughly, stir in a lump of butter and two tablespoonfuls of milk. Allow to cool, then stir in one-half cupful of chopped nut meats of any kind and serve with mayonnaise dressing.

HUGHES' MOVEMENT BECOMES GREAT BOOM

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picked one gold brick, meaning William H. Taft, and he did not propose to pick another.

Second—William Allen White, leader of the uncompromising Progressives, said: "We will take Hughes if he convinces us by a straight-out statement that he is not another Wilson. We are satisfied with his record, but we want to know where he is on preparedness and foreign policy. And if he doesn't tell us we won't nominate him."

Van Valkenburgh Demands Statement.

Third—E. A. Van Valkenburgh, editor of the Philadelphia North American and a field marshal in the Progressive ranks, announced in so many words that unless Hughes comes across with an announcement acceptable to the Progressives a third ticket will be named, with Roosevelt at the head of it.

Fourth—Augustus Gardner, who is fighting for Roosevelt inside the convention, announced his horror at the lack of Roosevelt organization. He said that unless the colonel comes to Chicago and takes charge all is lost.

MARCHERS ARE TOLD BY DUNNE TO ENLIST

"If You Believe in Preparedness, Join Guard."

Springfield, Ill., June 5.—Men fit for military service who marched in the preparedness parade but do not enlist in the national guard are flying false colors, in the opinion of Governor E. F. Dunne. The governor issued a statement calling on the young men of the state to enlist. He was one of the marchers for preparedness in the Springfield demonstration.

"Thousands will march in preparedness parades to place themselves on record for the sacrifices necessary to maintain an adequate trained fighting force," the governor said.

"To every marcher I have this message: The time for your sacrifice has come. You have announced yourself ready for it, and the nation and state expect you to make it.

"When the parade is over do not think you have done your part toward preparedness. You have only expressed your willingness to do it. So I would urge all preparedness marchers to go, when you break ranks, to the headquarters of a national guard regiment and enroll your names for enlistment."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Heirs David Newman to Alice J. Eisner wd \$12,000 sqw 10 and neq neq 15 Lee Center.

Heirs Warren B Esley to Frank C Esley qcd \$1 lot 3 blk 24 Wyman add Amboy.

Otto W Johnson to Herbert W Morris wd \$1 wh seq and sh sqw 8 East Grove.

Elizabeth Hineckley et al to Herbert W Morris wd \$1 pt lot 3 blk 42 West Dixon.

Subscribers in the city may pay the carrier boy for the Telegraph each week. Or if they prefer, may call at our office and take care of same.

PUBLIC NOTICE: BRIDGE REPAIR WORK.

The undersigned hereby advertise Bridge Repair work on the Nelson Road, between said Village and the Rock Island Road, as follows:

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Bridge No. Two, near the 3-Mile Branch. One concrete abutment wall and concrete slab floor.

Bridge No. Three, near 3-Mile Branch. Concrete facing to abutments, concrete floor on t-beams, and steel hand-rails.

Entire work estimated at 31.8 cu. yds. of concrete, 1722 lbs. reinforcing steel, and 510 lbs. structural steel.

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